

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1796 - HB 2033

February 13, 2018

SUMMARY OF BILL: Permits a petitioner in domestic abuse cases, to request that the court order the wireless telephone provider to transfer billing responsibilities and rights to the petitioner, if the petitioner is the primary user of the account.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation allows for a person involved in a domestic abuse case to petition the court so that the wireless telephone provider must transfer billing responsibilities and rights to the petitioner.
- The proposed legislation provides for new petitions to be filed, however, these petitions will presumably be filed in conjunction with a petition for an order of protection, therefore an increase in the caseloads of the trial and appellate courts is expected to be not significant.
- Any impact to the caseload of the courts can be accommodated within their existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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